

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



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For: <b>CRYSTALLIZATION OF IGF</b>	)	<b>Customer No. 25213</b>
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**MS: AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 9, 2004, in connection with the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments, and consider the following arguments. This response is timely filed with a Petition for extension of time for three months with necessary fees.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begins on page 16 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 23 of this paper.